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1.	On-Campus Transition Program	A collaborative partnership between the College of Education and Human Development at Radford University (RU) and Montgomery County Public Schools, whose mission is to provide education and transition support for students with disabilities.	The program serves students aged 18 to 21, whose class has graduated from high school, and who need special education and transition services.	Montgomery County Public Schools (Johnna Elliott, Director, jelliott25@radford.edu).	Yes
2.	Appalachian Arts and Studies in the Schools	Serves public schools in the immediate service region of the university by establishing and sustaining meaningful connections between high school students who are "college-able but not college-bound" and AASIS scholars from Radford University.	The partnership includes 160 students from 8 high schools in rural Southwest Virginia. Through a combination of face-to-face interactions and other methods such as e-mail and correspondence, the partnership is intended to increase the presence of Radford University and its Appalachian Studies program in public schools.	Patrick County High School; Floyd County High School; Craig County High School; Rocky Gap High School; Chiswell High School; Grayson County High School; Rural Retreat High School; and Eastern Montgomery High School.	Yes
3.	Southwest Virginia Professional Education Consortium (SWVA PEC)	The consortium was developed in 1998 to formalize the collaborations between PK-12 schools in the New River and Roanoke Valleys and regional institutions of higher education. Its primary purpose is to enhance teacher preparation and support continuing teacher education. The project is funded by the Virginia Department of Education and serves Botetourt, Carroll, Floyd, Giles, Montgomery, Pulaski, Salem, Wythe, and Roanoke Counties as well as cities of Radford and Roanoke.	The partnership is intended to strengthen the connections between and among institutions of higher education in the region and increase the efficiency and timeliness of their response to the current and emerging needs of K-12 education.	Dalton Intermediate School; Pulaski Elementary School; Radford High School; Dublin Elementary School; Belle Heth Elementary School; Riverlawn Elementary School; Riverlawn Elementary School; Christiansburg Elementary School; McHarg Elementary School; Critzer Elementary School; Riverlawn Elementary School; Radford High School; Dublin Middle School; Belle Heth Elementary School; Riverlawn Elementary School; Riverlawn Elementary School; Kipps Elementary School; Auburn Elementary School; Pulaski County High School; Belview Elementary School; Huff Lane MicroVillage; Round Hill Elementary School; and Dublin Middle School.	Yes

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4.	The Training and Technical Assistance Center (T/TAC)	T/TAC was established in 1996 to increase the capacity of schools, service providers, and families to improve educational opportunities for, meet the needs of, and contribute to the success of children and youth with disabilities from birth to age 22.	The partnership provides long-term technical assistance that brings about systemic change in the way schools serve youth and children.	Lee County Schs; Wise County Schs; Franklin County Schs; Patrick County Schs; Botetourt County Schs; Galax City Schs; Smyth County Schs; Bristol City Schs; Grayson City Schs; Roanoke City Schs; Craig County Schs; Floyd County Schs; Pittsylvania County Schs; Dickenson County Schs; Bundanan County Schs; Alleghany County Schs; Alleghany County Schs; Washington County Schs; Buchanan County Schs; Roanoke County Schs; Norton City Schs; Washington County Schs; Scott County Schs; Salem City Schs; Martinsville City Schs; Tazewell County Schs; Giles City Schs; Henry County Schs; and Covington City Schs.	Yes
5.	Roanoke Higher Education Center and the Southwest Virginia Higher Education Center in Abingdon	Graduate courses and degree programs are offered in Educational Leadership, School Counseling, Elementary Education, Reading Specialist, and Special Education.	The College of Education and Human Development provides programs based upon an assessment of needs of local school divisions.	Roanoke Higher Education Center and Southwestern Virginia Higher Education Center.	Yes
6.	CEHD graduate degree cohorts developed in response to requests from school districts.	New College Institute in Martinsville Earth Science Teaching Cohort , Roanoke County (2 cohorts), Montgomery County (2 cohorts) (Educational Leadership), Fairfax County, and 3 other state-wide sites (Library Media Cohort).	The purpose of the cohort programs is to respond directly to school divisions' requests for preparing school personnel who are in high demand and to expand the knowledge and skills of current teachers and school personnel.	Roanoke County (Educational Leadership), Montgomery County (Educational Leadership); Fairfax County (Library Media Cohort); and 3 Distance Educ (Library Media Cohorts).	Yes

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7.	CEHD - Individual courses for schools.	Carroll County (Reading Courses, English Language Learners, and Assessment).	RU provides individual courses as needed/requested by the school divisions.	Carroll County TAG Grant (Reading offered as distance site, TAG grant pays tuition for distance or on-campus courses); and Henry and Pittsylvania Counties (physical science course).	Yes
8.	Teacher Education Articulation Agreement	Virginia Community College System and 11 Virginia institutions with teacher preparation programs.	The purpose of the VCCS "TEAC," Teacher Education Articulation Council is to: (1) develop state-wide articulation agreements for community college students interested in entering teacher preparation programs; and, (2) to create communication channels that will facilitate transfer admissions. Transfer agreement outlines curriculum and processes for transfer and advising for several teacher preparation programs.	Virginia Community College System and 11 Virginia institutions with teacher preparation programs.	Yes
10.	CEHD Professional Development Center	VA Department of Education; Several school divisions; Western Virginia Public Education Consortium; VA Training and Technical Assistance Center; Appalachian Educational Laboratory ("Edvantia") are working together to support professional development of teachers and educational leaders.	This partnerships is supporting several initiatives: 1. Collaborating for Student Success: Inclusion Works; 2. Virginia Association of School Superintendents' Executive Coaching Service; 3. DOE Drive In Conferences; 4. Special Education High Quality Training Institute Grant (12 regional school divisions); 5. Technical support for the NASSP Assessment Centers; 6. Principal Education Preparation grant: alternative route for preparing principals; 7. Mentor/Coaching Program for New Principals; 8. Regional Content Leaders Program; and 9. National Symposium for Counselors.	VA Department of Education; Several school divisions; Western Virginia Public Education Consortium; VA Training and Technical Assistance Center; and Appalachian Educational Laboratory ("Edvantia").	Yes
11.	School of Teacher Education and Leadership (STEL) Early Childhood Special Education	Distance Learning with Lynchburg College.	Provide preparation in early childhood special education via distance learning in southwest Virginia.	Lynchburg College.	Yes

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12.	STEL Middle School: Partner Schools	Provide services for Dublin, Auburn, Christiansburg and Pulaski Middle Schools.	RU middle school candidates provide services to support an after-school program for middle school students. The schools work with RU faculty in designing, implementing, and evaluating the middle school program.	Dublin, Pulaski, Auburn, and Christiansburg Middle Schools.	Yes
13.	STEL Severe Disabilities Consortium	On-line preparation (statewide).	preparation of teachers working with students with severe disabilities.	State-wide (Radford University, George Mason University, Norfolk State University, University of Virginia, and Virginia Commonwealth University.)	Yes
14.	STEL Visual Impairment	Provide training for teachers of visually impaired statewide.	to develop a state-wide consortium to provide training for teachers in visual impairment.	State-wide (Radford University, George Mason University, Norfolk State University, University of Virginia, and Virginia Commonwealth University.)	Yes
15.		Provide training for teachers working with deaf and hard of hearing state-wide.		RU is the sole provider and is establishing distance sites.	Yes
16.		Enhancing content knowledge and content pedagogical knowledge of middle and high school teachers.	Dr. Robert McCracken and others have marshaled the expertise of RU arts and science and education faculty to provide content area pedagogy training for middle school and high school teachers.	State-wide.	Yes
17.	Community Counseling Centers (Department of Counseling and Human Development)	Pulaski County Schools and Montgomery County Schools.		Pulaski County Schools and Montgomery County Schools.	Yes
18.	"Learning to Move and Moving to Learn" project (Department of Exercise, Sport, and Health Education)	Radford City Schools.	Susan Miller and Jon Poole are working with school divisions to provide programs for children in physical development which have been shown to enhance brain development and influence children's ability to read.	Radford City Schools.	Yes

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19.	Teacher Preparation Internship Agreements	Regions 6 and 7.	Candidates in programs contribute to students' learning and well-being through internships and practica.	Regions 6 and 7.	Yes
20.	Preparation for Other School Personnel Internship Agreements	Regions 6 and 7.	Candidates in programs preparing other school personnel contribute to student learning and well-being and to the positive development of schools through internships and practica.	Regions 6 and 7.	Yes
21.	School psychology practicum placement	Public schools in Montgomery, Pulaski, Roanoke, Carroll and Bedford Counties, and Roanoke City.	Second-year school psychology graduate students provide psychological services at participating schools.	Roanoke City.	Yes
22.	National Science Foundation Grant: Radford Outdoor Augmented Reality (ROAR) Project	A collaborative partnership between the College of Education and Human Development at Radford University and Radford City Public Schools, whose mission is to explore how mobile augmented reality learning can be used to enhance middle school science learning.	The NSF grant serves middle school students.	Radford City Public Schools.	Yes
23.	Virginia Department of Education iLearn Grant Project	With support from the Governor 's Productivity Investment Fund and the Virginia Department of Education, Radford University and participating schools in southwestern Virginia are exploring how the iPod Touch can be used to enhance effective teaching and learning.	The last several years have seen an explosion in the amount of young people playing video games as well as the number of children and adolescents using mobile handheld technologies, such as portable music players, gaming platforms, and smart phones. As school systems struggle with how best to deal with this cultural and technological shift, it is highly likely that the technology will continue to progress towards more powerful, wireless handheld computers that can deliver high quality, multimedia, computer processing power. Viewing this phenomenon as neither a panacea nor a plague, the iLearn team is exploring if and how these technologies can be leveraged for enhanced learning.	Radford City Public Schools and Pulaski County Public Schools.	Yes

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24.	VITAL: Virginia Improving Teaching and Learning	preparation and follow-up database. The purpose is	planning and decision-makers to provide highly qualified teachers for the children of Virginia.	State Council of Higher Education; Virginia Department Education, Virginia Community College System, James Madison University, Mary Baldwin College, The College of William and Mary.	Yes
25.	Dance Education Partnerships	The partnership provides internships for students and serves in an advisory capacity to the program.	the dance education program in providing internships for students.		Yes

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1.	The Leadership Training Partnership	The Leadership Training Partnership Program is intended to increase the number of highly qualified administrators among the participating school divisions through a non-traditional alternative educational leadership preparation program, which is aligned with Virginia, national, and professional standards in the field of educational leadership.	This Program is delivered through non-traditional modalities which include, but are not limited to, the following: distance learning seminars; on-line interactive instructional tools such as WebCT, Blackboard, etc., as available in participating school districts; workshops, field placement activities, and mentoring interventions. College course work as perceived in a traditional pathway to an administrative endorsement in Virginia will not be a component of this project.	Giles County Public Schools; Radford City Public Schools; Culpeper County Public Schools; Warren County Public Schools; Shenandoah County Public Schools; Clarke County Public Schools; Carroll County Public Schools; and Pulaski County Public Schools.	Yes
2.	The Western Virginia Public Education Consortium	The consortium operates in partnership with public schools and local universities to provide staff development for administrators, and many other professional opportunities to participating school divisions.	The consortium works closely with Radford University and Virginia Tech to support the needs of school divisions. It was organized to provide opportunities for often underserved public school divisions to have greater purchasing power, grant seeking strength, as well as opportunities to develop joint staff development efforts and work collaboratively to solve educational issues in Southwestern Virginia.	Western Virginia Public School Consortium.	Yes
3.	Key Instructional Leaders	The partnership consists of public school division- level instructional personnel from each school division in the state to establish and maintain regular contact with school divisions.	school divisions and meet the	Franklin County Public Schools; Carroll County Public Schools; and Pulaski County Public Schools,	Yes
4.	Franklin County Leadership Training	The partnership is intended to provide and facilitate the training of future educational leaders and enhance professional development in public schools.	The partnership serves the needs public schools in the service region by providing timely on-demand training for current and future educational leaders. The professional development opportunities serve to increase the overall effectiveness of K12 institutions and increase student learning.	Roanoke City Public Schools and Franklin County Public Schools.	Yes

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5.	Montgomery County Leadership Training	The partnership is intended to provide and facilitate the training of future educational leaders and enhance professional development in public schools.	The partnership serves the needs of public schools in the service region by providing timely on-demand training for current and future educational leaders. The professional development opportunities serve to increase the overall effectiveness of K12 institutions and increase student learning.	Montgomery County Public Schools.	Yes
6.	Superintendents' Breakfasts	The partnership engages superintendents from 23 school divisions, Radford University, Virginia Tech, and associated agencies serving PK-12 schooling in SWVA.	Superintendents' Breakfasts provide a monthly open forum for superintendents in Southwest Virginia to come together to discuss common challenges and initiatives, to coordinate school improvement efforts, and to partner with Radford University and Virginia Tech in improving the preparation and continuing development of teachers and school personnel.	Montgomery County, Floyd County, Wythe County, Bristol City, Roanoke City, Radford City, Bedford City/County, Botetourt County, Norton City, Pulaski County, Dickenson County, Galax City, Danville City, Henry County, Covington City, Alleghany County, Bland County, Buchanan County, Wise County, Martinsville City, Franklin County, Roanoke County, Tazewell County, Washington County, Lee County, Pittsylvania County, Patrick County, Smyth County, Craig County, Scott County, Salem City, Carroll County, Bath County, Pulaski County, Grayson County, and Russell County.	No
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